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aries will be charged at advertisement rates
for notices over four lines.

Bills that Have Become Laws.
The following acts were approved by the
Governor, March 29, 1876:

To incorporate the Manochester Land and Im-
provement Company; to amend the charter of
the Virginia State Grange, Patrons of Hus-
bandry; the general appropriation bill; for the
relief of the sureties of James W. Modesett,
former sheriff of Page county; relief of sureties
of A. F. Creel, late collector of Marshall town-
ship, Fauquier county; repealing the charter of
the Southern Association for the relief of wid-
ows, &c.; to authorize the supervisors of Bath
county to build a turnpike road in said county;
to authorize the sale of the parsonage of Be-
thlehem Methodist Episcopal Church; for the pro-
tection of deer in Scott, Wise and Buchanan
counties; to provide for special election in
Prince William county for Commonwealth's
Attorney; for relief of J. J. Burks, of Amherst
county; to incorporate the town of Grundy, in
Buchanan county; to amend the charter of the
Bank of Abingdon; to change the name of the
Lynchburg Banking and Insurance Company to
the Lynchburg Fire Insurance Company; to
amend the charter of the Roanoke Valley Rail-
road Company; to authorize the supervisors of
Isle of Wight county to contract for building a
bridge across Jones creek; to amend the act
prescribing the powers, duties, &c., of county
officers, so as to empower the superintendent
of the poor to appoint and discharge nurses,
attendants and servants at the poor house; for
the relief of Thomas C. Cooke, late collector
of Ware township, Gloucester county; to
amend the law in regard to forfeited and de-
linquent lands; to incorporate the Newbern Be-
nevolent Society, in Pulaski county; to permit
the voters of Northumberland county to vote on
the disposition of the Glebe Fund; to incor-
porate the Virginia Baptist Historical So-
ciety; to incorporate the Orange Courthouse
and Harrisonburg Railroad Company; to in-
corporate the Norfolk Dock, Warehouse and
Improvement Company; to incorporate the
Old Dominion Mining Company; to increase
the compensation of county treasurers; to amend
section 25, chapter 78, of the Code, in relation
to the exemption of school trustees; to amend
the law in relation to the removal of causes; to
incorporate the Surry Railroad Company; for
the relief of the late Sheriff of Charles City
county; to amend the law in relation to un-
lawful dealing in pig iron by irresponsible persons;
for the relief of John W. Plunkett, late collector
of Blackburg township, Montgomery county;
to provide for the protection of fish in
Potomac river; to amend the law in regard to
suits on protested notes; to amend section 1,
chapter 99, Code of 1873, for the protection of
deer; to amend the act approved March 16th,
1873, in reference to sales under judgment, war-
rants or decrees for debts, contracted prior to
April 10th, 1865; providing for submitting the
question of repeal of fence-law in Bruton dis-
trict, in whole or in part, to the voters of York
county; to establish a separate election precinct
in Northampton county; to amend the law in
relation to the manner of making James river
and the James River and Kanawha canal a
lawful fence in Amherst, so as to include Nel-
son county; to amend section 75 of the charter
of the city of Richmond; to provide for work-
ing and keeping the public roads in order in
Fairfax county; to incorporate the Consoli-
dated Abattoir Company of Alexandria, Wash-
ington and Georgetown; to incorporate the Farm-
ville Manufacturing Company; to amend the
law in relation to masters and apprentices; to
incorporate the Grand United Order of the
Vanguard of Freedom and Temperance; to in-
corporate the Lewistown Land and Immigra-
tion Company; to incorporate the Valley Cem-
etery Association.

HAMBLETONIAN'S BURIAL.—Under the
shadow of a black, wooded bluff of the Blue
Ridge mountains the remains of the world-re-
nowned stallion, Hambletonian, were buried
on Tuesday last. The body, which had been
covered with the blankets and robes and other
stable gear that the horse had worn at his
death, was enclosed in a pine box, and was
dragged at the heels of horses. Many people from
the village of Chester, N. Y., and from neigh-
boring towns had gathered at an early hour, and
they formed an escort to the burial place. The
grave has been dug in the open orchard at the
back of the stable in which the horse had been
kept for many years, and under a darkly clouded
sky the interment was made.

Mr. Rysdyk, just before his death, left a
special injunction that Hambletonian, which
had always been his petted horse, and which
had brought to him a fortune, should be buried
with unusual marks of respect. It was first
specified that the horse should be placed in a
grave that was six feet deep, that he should be
arrayed in his stable blankets, gear and shoes,
and that a brown headstone should be erected
upon the mound that marked the grave. All of
Mr. Rysdyk's orders have been faithfully com-
plied with.

It has been estimated by admirers of Ham-
bletonian that he has earned nearly \$11,000
each year since he was three years old. His
entire earnings in the time that he was in the
possession of Mr. Rysdyk amount to over
\$241,000.

Hambletonian was 27 years old at his death.
A REMINISCENCE OF WAR TIMES.—Just be-
fore the examination of Gen. Custer commenced
before the Cuyler committee, Gen. Hunton,
of Virginia, came into the committee room
and exchanged cordial salutations with the
military hero of the frontier. Said Gen. Hun-
ton, "I am glad to meet you, Gen. Custer; when
we last met it was not as friendly as now."
"Oh," said Gen. Custer, "I am sorry to hear
you say that our last meeting was not friendly.
I gave you the best I had, a camp fire and
warm blankets." This exchange of words
would seem to indicate that Gen. C. had at
some period of the "unpleasantness" taken
Gen. Hunton prisoner.—Wash. Star.

TOBACCOS IN STORE.
20 boxes genuine B. F. Graveley's.
20 boxes 3 oz. Twist, Danville.
20 boxes do., stock 1874, prime Danville.
40 boxes 4 oz. do.
40 boxes 11 inch Plug Rich. and Danville.
Pineapple, Pocket Pieces, Pig Tail, Natural
Bright Black Navy and other brands. Very
low to the trade. JOHN A. FIELD,
Feb 21 71 King street.

DRY GOODS.
MOURNING GOODS DEPARTMENT.

H. C. SLAYMAKER CO'S

HENRIETTA CLOTHS, pure Silk Warp, as
low as an ordinary Cashmere.

COLONNA CLOTHS, something new in
Mourning Goods, very handsome and cheap.

CASHMERES, TAMINE and AUSTRALIAN
CREPES unusually low.

BLACK FRENCH MOUSLIN, 6-4 and 6-6.

BLACK ALPACAS and MOHAIRS. We pay
special attention to and cannot be excelled in
the price. Attention to the selection of and
as to durability of fabric and color cannot be
excelled. The prices are right, as is proven by
our very rapid sales.

GRAPE VILLS from low priced up to the
heaviest double Grape, largest size.

BLACK ENGLISH PIECE CREPE for
trimmings.

We give particular attention to this department
and no one need go from home to find a hand-
some line of cheap goods.

H. C. SLAYMAKER COMPY.,

75 and 77 King st., cor. Royal.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

K. KEMPER,

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY

PUBLIC.

OFFICES: (MAYOR'S OFFICE,

NO. 66 KING ST.

ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

mh 13-3m

COL. RICHARD L. MAURY,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,

1015 Main street,

RICHMOND, VA.

Special facilities for prompt collections
throughout Virginia and West Virginia. Money
invariably remitted on day of receipt.

mar 16-17

DR. B. F. JONES,

office—No. 32 North Gay street,

BALTIMORE, MD.

Specialty—All Diseases and Irregularities In-
cident to Females, and Lost Manhood fully re-
stored within thirty days. feb 21-1y

DENTAL NOTICE.

DR. D. N. RUST

Has removed his office to the
NORTH-EAST CORNER OF PRINCE AND
WASHINGTON STREETS.

dec 24-1y

A CARD.—Circumstances rendering it de-
sirable that I should locate in Baltimore, I
have transferred my DENTAL PRACTICE in
Alexandria to DR. D. N. RUST. He has been
for so many years associated with me as to need
no introduction or endorsement, his skill, ability
and reputation for honesty and high integrity
being well known. I cordially commend him
to the favor of my friends and patients, as well
worthy of the position to which he succeeds, and
bespeak for him the practice with which, for so
long, I have been favored.

JAMES B. HODGKIN.

Alexandria, Va., mar 10-17

FINANCIAL.

W. D. CORSE,

STOCK, EXCHANGE AND COLLEC-

TION BROKER.

Will deal in Gold and Silver Coin, State, City
and Railroad Securities.

Will execute orders for any Stocks or Bonds
on the Stock Boards of New York or Baltimore
on commission.

Virginia Coupons, receivable for taxes, for
sale.

Agent for the MUTUAL LIFE INSUR-
ANCE CO., of New York. jy 2

BURKE and HERBERT,

Dealers in

GOLD, GOVERNMENT BONDS, LOCAL

STOCKS, AND ALL FIRST-CLASS

RAILROAD BONDS and other
good investment securi-
ties, have for sale.

VIRGINIA COUPONS, receivable for taxes,
ALEXANDRIA CORPORATION SIX

PER CENT BONDS.

Any information in regard to investments
cheerfully given. my 21

WILLIAM MURRAY.

MERCHANT TAILOR,

NO. 123 KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA.

Has just received his

SPRING AND SUMMER STOCK OF

DRESS GOODS.

TIN CHAMBER SETS, new pattern, just
received. Call and examine at

E. J. MILLER & CO.,

65 King street.

DRY GOODS.

NOTICE TO OUR CUSTOMERS.

THE HOME-MADE SHIRTS.
Warranted made of XX Wamsutta Cotton and
No. 2100 Linen of the very best custom made,
and perfect fit. Price \$1. Sold by
H. B. Hoopes, D. F. BRASHEAR,
A. H. Morehead. No. 109 King street,
Alexandria, Va.

UMBRELLAS and PARASOLS.—We
have this day received from the manufac-
turer, on Steel, Paragon and Argie Frames, in
Plain and Twisted Silks, one of the largest,
most varied and elegant stocks of Umbrellas
and Parasols ever offered in this market. The
ladies particularly are invited to call and see
them. D. F. BRASHEAR.

SILKS.—We have this day received a lot of
very beautiful Striped and Checked French
Grey Silks, together with a full line of Black
Silks, which we offer at prices corresponding
with the times. The ladies will please call and
see them. D. F. BRASHEAR.

DRESS GOODS.—We are now receiving a
full line of Spring Dress Goods in Plaids
and Popular shades of plain colors, among them
very fine, soft and light weight Berage Serges,
now in great demand. The ladies are invited to
call and see them. D. F. BRASHEAR.

FLANNELS.—We have this day opened a
line of extra fine silk warp and all wool
medium weight and Gauze Flannels, which we
offer at prices to suit purchasers. mh 20
D. F. BRASHEAR.

Taylor & Hufty,

933 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Have REDUCED the price of their celebrated

DOUBLE-YOKE SHIRTS,

AS FOLLOWS:

Quality No. 1, \$34.00.....Formerly \$30.00
" " 2, 33.00....." 30.00
" " 3, 32.00....." 29.00
" " 4, 42.00....." 48.00

Washington, mh 25-1m

Cloths, Cassimeres and Suits,

FOR MEN AND BOYS' WEAR.

Saturday, March 25, 1876.

Opening to-day a large line of the above goods;
all new styles; sold very cheap.

D. BENDHEIM

112 KING STREET.

mh 25

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

J. M. STEWART

Has just opened a fine stock of

SPRING GOODS.

Plaids for over dresses and the plain goods to
match.

Percales, in great variety.

Prints and Cambrics.

Black Gro. Grain Silks for \$1.50—a fine article.

Australian Crapes, very handsome.

Black French Cashmeres.

Crape Veils and English Crapes for trimming.

Single and Double Black Cashmere Shawls

Plaid and Striped Muslins.

Lonsdale Cambrics.

A stock of superior (Richardson's) Irish

Linen.

Very beautiful printed Linen Lawns, White
do., Table Napkins of all prices, Hemstitched

Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs for ladies and
gentlemen, Gloves and Hosiery.

A large lot of superior fine Alpaca. These
goods are beautiful blacks and the most ap-
proved brands.

Very fine Black Mohairs, with all kinds of
Bleached Goods, superior Cotton Sheetings,
&c., &c.

KID GLOVES!

IN SPRING STYLES.

Two Buttons.....\$0 75

Three Buttons....." 1 00

Three Buttons....." 1 25

Just received at

C. C. BERRY'S.

BY NEW YORK STEAMER THIS DAY.

A beautiful and carefully selected

assortment of

THE NEWEST STYLES OF TAPESTRY

BRUSSELS CARPETS.

Also CHINA and COCOA MATTING, in all

widths, at

D. F. WITMER'S

NO. 73 KING STREET,

mh 20

A FULL LINE OF

3-Ply Ingrain Hemp Carpets,

OIL CLOTHS, RUGS, MATS, &c.,

AT D. F. WITMER'S,

No. 73 King street, second floor.

144 Pretzfelder & Co. 144

Offer Great Bargains in

CASSIMERES for Men and Boys' wear.

Large lines of BLACK ALPACAS and MO-
HAIRS, in Rich Blue, Black and Jet Black,
at extremely low prices.

BLACK SILKS! BLACK SILKS! Bought at
the late New York auction sales, and which
we will sell at AUCTION PRICES.

UNLAUNDERED SHIRTS AT REDUCED
PRICES.

A small lot of double width POPLIN AL-
PACAS in new Spring shades at 25c—worth
double.

A line of newest styles DRESS GOODS at 12c
—worth seeing.

A full line of WHITE GOODS, EMBROID-
ERIES, etc.

PRETZFELDER & CO.,

No. 144 King street.

SHAKERS' GARDEN SEEDS, put up in
boxes containing a full assortment, espe-
cially adapted to the trade of country mer-
chants. A large supply in store and for sale by
Feb 10

JANNEY & CO., 141 King st.

CENTENNIAL DIARIES, handsomely
gotten up, with a Calendar for 1876 Cash
Account, Interest Tables, &c., for sale cheap by
Feb 9

10 BUSHELS PRIME NAVY BEANS,

for sale by

DAVY & HARMON.

FINE GROSS RUMFORD'S BEST YEAST

POWDER just received by

J. C. & E. MILBURN.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

SPRING STYLES

BOOTS & SHOES.

F. PAFF,

NO. 98 KING STREET,

Is now in receipt of his stock of Spring styles of

LADIES', GENTS',

BOYS' and CHILDREN'S

BOOTS AND SHOES.

The assortment is well selected and cannot be
surpassed in quantity or quality. It has been
purchased at the lowest cash prices and will be
sold at a small advance to suit the times.

A large force of skilled workmen constantly
employed, and the finest kind of custom work
made to order upon short notice.

Having served as a practical shoemaker for
a number of years, my long experience en-
ables me to guarantee a perfect fit for any shaped
foot. mh 27

F. PAFF.

74 KING STREET.

ECONOMY IS WEALTH.

WE CAN HELP YOU SPEND YOUR

MONEY WISELY.

We can convince you that you can save money
this Spring and Summer if you
will buy your

Boots, Shoes,

&c., &c., &c.

from us. Our stock is now in, and never before
was more complete in every respect
than at present. Almost
every desirable
style of

BOOTS & SHOES,

FOR

GENTS', LADIES', MISSES', BOYS' and

CHILDREN'S WEAR.

can be found in our stock; and as for quality
and price we ask an examination and com-
parison to satisfy yourself that we can make it to
your interest to trade with
Yours respectfully,

W. B. WADDEY.

COUNTRY MERCHANTS will find it to
their advantage to examine our stock, from
which equally good selections can be made, at
prices that will compare favorably with those of
the Northern cities.

W. B. WADDEY,

74 KING STREET,

mh 14

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

TO THE PUBLIC.

In order to reduce our entire stock of Fall and
Winter

BOOTS & SHOES

of which we have a good assortment, we will
sell them at

PRIME COST

from now until the FIRST OF MARCH. All
in want of good goods at the price of poor
ones will do well to call at 74 King
street, as we are determined
to close them out.

W. B. WADDEY,

74 KING STREET.

Feb 8-17

Musical Notice.

I wish my friends to notice that I receive or-
ders for

TUNINGS and REPAIRS OF PIANOS

AND ORGANS

through Mr. John H. Parrott, Prof. R. E. Hey-
man or by letter. I will attend to all promptly.

I have the celebrated WM. HEINEKAMP
PIANOS for sale, and also MARCHEL &
SMITH'S, at very low prices. Give me a call
or write to

VICTOR BECKER

503 7th street, N. W.,

Washington, D. C.

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